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SUBJ: TRANSFERABLE RUBLE IN EAST-WEST TRADE

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1. IN EFFORT OBTAIN INFORMATION ON HOW ROMANIANS UNDERSTAND
AND VIEW POSITION OF TRANSFERABLE RUBLE IN EAST-WEST TRADE,
EMBOFFS CALLED ON VASILE DORNEANU, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, DIRECTORATE I,
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE.

2. CONCERNING IBEC OPERATING PROCEDURES AND IBEC PROPOSAL

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FOR USE OF TRANSFERABLE RUBLE IN EAST-WEST TRADE, DORNEANU
CONFIRMED INFO CONTAINED REFTEL AND STRESSED FACT THAT
TRANSFERABLE UNIT IS JUST UNIT OF ACCOUNT WITH NO ACCEPTANCE
OUTSIDE CEMA TRADING SYSTEM. HE ADDED THAT AIM OF IBEC
PROPOSAL WAS TO BUILD INTERNATIONAL CONFIDENCE IN TR AS STEP
IN DIRECTION OF ATTAINING EVENTUAL CONVERTIBILITY OF IT.
FIRST STEP IS ATTRACTING LDC'S AND DEVELOPED NEUTRALS INTO

IBEC SYSTEM. DORNEANU SAID MFT DOES NOT HAVE ANY FEEDBACK ON ACCEPTANCE BY OTHER COUNTRIES OF IBEC PROPOSAL, BUT HE SKEPTICAL THAT PROPOSED GOAL WAS REALISTIC.

3. COMMENT: IT IS OBVIOUS FROM THIS CONTACT AND OTHERS THAT EMBASSY RECENTLY HAD WITH GOR OFFICIALS ON SUBJECT OF CEMA TRADE AND FINANCING THAT ROMANIANS IN BUCHAREST RELUCTANT TO ENGAGE IN ANY MEANINGFUL DIALOGUE ON THEIR RELATIONS WITH SOCIALIST PARTNERS. BARNES

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